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Introduction Commissioner Benjamin J. Malcolm

Session Chairman Dr. Arthur Zitrin

Institutionalization and Self-Destructiveness

Presentor Dean Robert B. McKay

Discussant Dr. Edward Kaufman

Discussant Professor Samuel Wallace

Floor Discussion

Suicide In Prison: Psychological Autopsies

Presentor Mr. John Gibbs

Discussant Dr. Hans Toch

Discussant Dr. Frank Rundle

Discussant Dr. Robert L. Goldstein

Floor Discussion

AFTERNOON PROGRAM

Session Chairman Professor Gerhard O. W. Mueller

Suicide In Prison: Some Recent Lessons

Presentor Dr. Leonard Moss

Discussant Mr. Robert J. Wicks

Discussant Dr. Daniel W. Schwartz

Discussant Mr. Jack Birnbaum

Floor Discussion

Innovative Suicide Prevention

Presentor Dr. Bruce Danto

Discussant Mr. John Brickman

Discussant Kathleen Wagner, R.N.

Discussant Dr. Henry C. Weinstein

Floor Discussion

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